

## MUNITIONS PLANTS BLOCKED IN HOUSE

### Fitzgerald Raises Point of Order Against Keating Amendment for Appropriation.

Charging the Democratic majority with failure to obey an agreement of the Democratic caucus to extend Government manufacture of munitions of war, Congressman Keating of Colorado, a Democrat, made an unsuccessful effort yesterday in the House to tack an amendment on the sundry civil appropriation bill, providing \$10,000,000 for munition plants to be located in the middle West.

Keating presented the amendment, which was knocked out on a point of order made by Chairman Fitzgerald, of the House Appropriations Committee, as the chairman of a committee consisting of Congressman Van Dyke of Minnesota, Taggart of Kansas, Tamm of Illinois and Crosser of Ohio, who favor the manufacture by the Government of all munitions, as a means of taking the profit out of war.

"We have asked the Rules Committee to give us a rule making this amendment in order, but despite the plain dictates of the Democratic caucus, the Democratic members of the committee have declined to act," said Keating. "What we desire is a straight vote by the members of this House on Government manufacture of munitions."

Congressman Fitzgerald said it has been the policy to enlarge Government facilities for the manufacture of munitions, and that in this year's appropriation bills provision had been made for increased facilities at Rock Island arsenal. If the Government is to undertake the manufacture of all its munitions, he said, it would require an investment of \$75,000,000.

## HOTEL HOLLAND IS FULL OF THRILLS

### Flushing Hostelry Furnishes Naval Battle and Air Engagements for Its Guests.

FLUSHING, June 25.—(By mail).—The excitement, excitement hotel in the world is the New Zealand, Flushing, Holland.

Anyone can rent a room there, if there's one to spare, that is, providing you care to pick your way to Flushing across the North sea from England, among floating mines and with the guns of a nearby naval engagement shattering the air.

It's a good hotel, but half the time no one answers your bell, because everybody is out listening to runs or getting the latest news. You don't blame them, do you?

The naval commandant of the port of Flushing lives in the hotel. There are sailors all about the place, running up and down stairs with messages or dispatches. Here's the diary of eighteen hours at the New Zealand:

1 p. m.—Arrival. No one to handle your trunk, because everybody is up on the roof trying to look across to Zebruge, where the British are bombarding the Belgian coast.

2 p. m.—Lunch. The waiter: "Must have been something doing in England last night. Seven Zeppelins came near here going toward the English coast, and we saw twenty German aeroplanes over here this morning. And guns! The firing has been breaking our windows."

3 p. m.—Out on the sand dunes along the shore of the North sea—"the most terrible piece of water in the world"—listening to the guns of a distant naval engagement watching the sky for Zeps and aeroplanes.

Supper and, at 10 p. m., to bed.

4 a. m.—Cut of bed into the middle of the floor in one hop. Ear-shaking building. Windows rattling: one pane cracks. It's the distant naval guns of the North Sea. The British are bombarding the coast, twenty-five miles away.

4:30 a. m.—Telephone rings wildly in nearby room of the Dutch naval commandant of the port of Flushing. The messengers rushing up and down the wooden stairs.

4:45 a. m.—You dress.

4:57 a. m.—Downstairs on the sidewalk you find hotel guests and hotel help talking excitedly. Some one on the roof of the hotel has just yelled down that twenty aeroplanes are in the distance. Are they German or ally?

Are they coming over Holland? Will Holland shoot at them?

4:50 a. m.—You climb to the hotel roof. The aeroplanes have disappeared.

Proves To Be French.

4:50 a. m.—"Here comes an aeroplane!"

4:51 a. m.—It proves to be French, by the red, white and blue rings on its planes. It circles over the hotel and over you, very low. It's a fire engine, a bird, flown in to safety from the battlefield out on the North Sea.

4:58 a. m.—The French machine guns on the ships in the harbor begin to fire. The French aeroplane, because, just at the moment they expected it to alight, it suddenly rose into the air again. They have fired as vigorously as they can, but it is just as vigorously that it flies away, flying thing that violates their territory, unless it surrenders.

4:58 a. m.—The French flying machine surrenders and comes to earth. The pilot alights. One is wounded in the elbow, not by Dutch but by a German bullet, fired an hour before someone else on the North Sea. That is why the Frenchmen flew to Holland; they couldn't have got back to France.

5 a. m.—The Frenchmen have coffee in our hotel, while the awakened guests look on.

7 a. m.—The two Frenchmen leave on the train for The Hague. For the remainder of the war they will be prisoners there of the Dutch.

7:05.—The hotel guests, who have been out of bed and out of doors since 4 o'clock, disperse to their rooms, some for more sleep; others to finish dressing.

Wants \$40,000 Saved By Wife in Thirty Years

NEW YORK, June 25.—John E. Manix, president of the J. E. Manix Company, yesterday filed in the Supreme Court an action to compel his wife, Annie R. Manix, to account to him for \$40,000. He says she saved the money from his earnings during thirty years of married life and now refuses to give him his share.

The Manixes were married in 1885, and have one son, who lives with his mother. During the first years of their married life, Manix says, he gave his wife his earnings each week, it being her duty to pay the household expenses and save the balance for their mutual benefit. Now they are separated,

## D. C. GUARD'S SCHEDULE

Following is the daily schedule for the District guardsmen encamped at Radio:

SERVICE CALLS.	
Reveille—First call	5:45 a. m.
March and reveille	5:30 a. m.
Assembly	5:35 a. m.
Mess call (breakfast)	6:00 a. m.
Fatigue call (general police)	6:30 a. m.
Sick call	6:35 a. m.
Drill call (except Saturday and Sunday)	7:10 a. m.
Assembly	7:20 a. m.
Recall	7:30 a. m.
First sergeant's call	11:30 a. m.
Mess call (dinner)	12:00 noon
Drill call (except Saturday and Sunday)	1:20 p. m.
Assembly	1:30 p. m.
Recall	3:15 p. m.
Officers' or school call (except Saturday and Sunday)	4:15 p. m.
Retreat—First call	5:15 p. m.
Assembly	5:25 p. m.
(Company inspection after retreat.)	
Mess call (supper)	6:00 p. m.
Guard mounting—First call	6:50 p. m.
Assembly	7:00 p. m.
Tattoo	9:00 p. m.
Call to quarters	10:15 p. m.
Taps	10:30 p. m.

## SATURDAYS.

Inspection—First call	7:50 a. m.
Assembly	8:00 a. m.
Drill call	9:30 a. m.
Recall	10:30 a. m.
School call	2:00 p. m.
Recall	4:15 p. m.

## SUNDAYS.

Church call	9:00 a. m.
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## MISS GOODE HEADS

### SUFFRAGE BODY NOW

#### Assumes Post of Chairman of Congressional Union Here.

#### Other Officers Elected.

Miss Edith Goode today assumes the post of chairman of the Washington branch of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage.

This position is important, the suffragists say because the District has been the headquarters of efforts to impress Congress with the fact that the women of the country mean business.

Miss Goode succeeds Mrs. Nina E. Alexander. She was elected last evening. Other officers named then were Mrs. Dayton Ward, first vice chairman; Mrs. F. B. Moran, second vice chairman; Mrs. Gertrude Peters, third vice chairman; Mrs. Grace Needham, corresponding secretary; Miss Katherine E. Fisher, recording secretary, and Mrs. Paul Deszes, treasurer.

Many of the suffragists who had attended the Chicago and St. Louis conventions said their experiences there in trying to get suffrage planks into the platforms. Their opinion of the deliberations at both places was not uniformly high.

"We have made the men jump," said Miss Mabel Vernon, "and now we are going to make them run."

Miss Vernon and other speakers emphasized the fact that a mere suffrage plank meant little unless translated into legislative action.

Speaking of the newly formed woman's party Miss Maude Younger, of California, said:

"It is best of no party, but I can assure you of one thing, it will wreck the Democratic party at the coming election if they fail to take the necessary action at the present session of Congress."

Others who spoke were Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the Congressional Union, and Mrs. Florence Bayard Hill.

## NO SHOWY OFFICERS

### WANTED FOR ITALY

BERNE, June 25.—(By mail).—The chief of the Italian general staff, General Cadorna, strongly objects to "showy" officers who risk their own lives and those of their men in acts of bravado which have no military value.

"We do not need 'showy' officers," he said, recently, according to statements published in the Italian papers. "What we need are serious, scientifically educated, steady men who will not undertake wild enterprises; we have no use for heroes of romance."

General Cadorna showed his determination to abide by this rule when he sent General Garibaldi, who is noted for his reckless courage, sought a commission in the Italian army, after having served in the earlier part of the war as a volunteer in France.

"Peppino Garibaldi is one of our bravest," said D'Annunzio in recommending him to General Cadorna.

"That is bad," retorted General Cadorna tersely.

"He sings and laughs amid a hail of enemy explosives," continued D'Annunzio.

"Bad, bad," replied General Cadorna. "At the mere sight of him his men become seized with an enthusiasm that leads them to rush joyfully to death in an intoxication of holy ardour," proceeded D'Annunzio.

"Worse and worse," responded General Cadorna.

"What qualities then, are required?" asked D'Annunzio.

"I am of the opinion," answered General Cadorna, "that he should be taught first of all not to get killed himself and not to expose his men without need. An officer who is worthy of his position should know about cancer, that it is incurable. The old idea that it is a mere positive death no longer holds true."

This advice from the State Health Department is given in discussing reports of 30,000 cancer deaths in the United States last year.

## RAMP DISAPPOINTS MARYLAND GUARDS

### Men Sorry Their Sunday Under Canvas Turns Out to Be a Bad Day.

CAMP EMERSON C. HARRINGTON, NEAR LAUREL, June 25.—A feeling of disappointment prevails among the men today because their first Sunday under canvas started with rain.

If the weather clears by 8 o'clock a large crowd of visitors from Baltimore and the contiguous counties is expected in camp.

As a great many are expected to come from Baltimore by train, the private officers of the "fifties" in Laurel expect to reap a harvest. The camp of the Fourth and Fifth Regiments is practically a mile from the Baltimore and Ohio station, while that of the First Infantry Band plans a concert this afternoon, weather permitting.

Services were held this morning in the Y. M. C. A. tent of the Fifth, while many men of the other regiments visited churches in Laurel.

Mustered in Tomorrow.

The men of all the organizations will be mustered into the service of the United States tomorrow.

The re-examination of the men will not be as severe as at first indicated. Only those men who are absolutely unfit to be in the field will be rejected.

Their disabilities, however, will be noted on their muster papers in order to keep them from applying for pensions in after days as the result of such ailments.

There is a belief among a great many of the officers that the Maryland brigade will be used in conjunction with the other militia of the Eastern division in an attack on Vera Cruz, while the regular troops and militia from other divisions will be used in an advance from the north.

Hurry to Colors.

Charles H. Denver, of Company M, stationed at Annapolis, was in Havana when the President's call was issued, and hurried back on the next steamer. He joined his company here yesterday.

Company M, of the Fifth, was in Ohio at the time of the call, and Corp. Edward Devlin, also of F, was in New Jersey. Both hurried back and are now with the company.

Company F is still guarding the warehouse where the quartermaster's supplies are stored in several towns. The rest of the regiment is undergoing. The men have also been called upon to unload the train.

Company K now has eighty-five men in ranks, and recruiting stations have been opened in several towns. The regiment is undergoing. The men have also been called upon to unload the train.

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## CHAUFFEURS PLAN TO FORM COMPANY HERE

### "Preparedness" Meeting of Automobile Men to Be Held at Club Tomorrow Night.

Every man in Washington who is capable of repairing or driving an automobile is invited to attend a special "preparedness" meeting of the Professional Chauffeurs' Association of the District tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the club rooms, 1107 Fourteenth street, when the question of supplying efficient chauffeurs and mechanics for Uncle Sam's forces in Mexico will be considered.

The invitation is extended by Vice President M. M. Stockley, of the association, who has been advised that the army is badly in need of skilled automobile men to handle the big fleet of motor cars and trucks on the border.

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